UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA TAMPA DIVISION

KENT ALLEN, JR.,

Plaintiff,

v. Case No: 8:21-cv-1686-CEH-JSS

DANIEL EK, KIARI CEPHUS and QUAVIOUS MARSHALL,

Defendants.	

ORDER

This cause comes before the Court upon the Report and Recommendation filed by Magistrate Judge Julie S. Sneed (Doc. 5). In the Report and Recommendation, Magistrate Judge Sneed recommends that Plaintiff's Motion for Leave to Proceed *in Forma Pauperis* (Dkt. 2) be denied, Plaintiff's case be dismissed, and the Clerk be directed to close the case. Plaintiff was furnished a copy of the Report and Recommendation and afforded the opportunity to file objections pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1). No such objections were filed.

Upon consideration of the Report and Recommendation, and upon this Court's independent examination of the file, it is determined that the Report and Recommendation should be adopted. Accordingly, it is now

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED:

- (1) The Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge (Doc. 5) is adopted, confirmed, and approved in all respects and is made a part of this Order for all purposes, including appellate review.
- (2) Plaintiff's Motion for Leave to Proceed in Forma Pauperis (Dkt. 2) is DENIED.
- (3) Plaintiff's Complaint (Dkt. 1) is DISMISSED.
- (4) As amendment of the Complaint would be futile, the Clerk is directed to terminate all pending motions and close this file.

DONE AND ORDERED at Tampa, Florida on September 9, 2021.

Charlene Edwards Honeywell
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United States District Judge

Copies to: The Honorable Julie S. Sneed Counsel of Record